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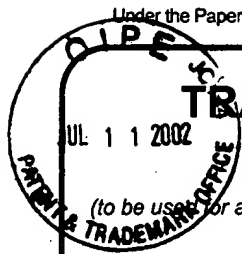
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims: ** = X =

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103	203	Claims in excess of 20	
102	202	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	204	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	209	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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105	205	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130
127	227	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	139	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	Extension for reply within first month	
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117	920	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	Extension for reply within fifth month	1960
119	320	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	Design issue fee	
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122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	130
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126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
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179	740	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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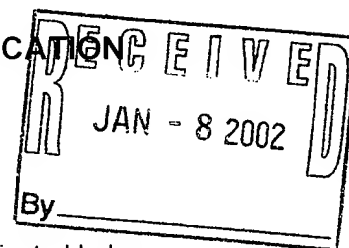
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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